

## Coast Guard, DHS

## § 116.55

(c) When Chief, Office of Bridge Programs has approved the submitted plans and specifications, they are final and binding upon all parties, unless later changes are approved by the Chief, Office of Bridge Programs. Any changes to the approved plans will be coordinated with the District Commander.

[CGD 91-063, 60 FR 20902, Apr. 28, 1995, as amended by CGD 96-026, 61 FR 33664, June 28, 1996; USCG-2013-0397, 78 FR 39174, July 1, 2013]

### § 116.45 Submission of bids, approval of award, guaranty of cost, and partial payments for bridges eligible for funding under the Truman-Hobbs Act.

(a) Once the plans and specifications for a bridge eligible for funding under the Truman-Hobbs Act have been approved, the bridge owner must take bids for the alteration of the bridge consistent with the approved plans and specifications. Those bids must then be submitted to the Chief, Office of Bridge Programs for approval.

(b) After the bridge owner submits the guaranty of cost required by 33 U.S.C. 515, the Administrator, Bridge Administration Program authorizes the owner to award the contract.

(c) Partial payments of the government's costs are authorized as the work progresses to the extent that funds have been appropriated.

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### § 116.50 Apportionment of costs under the Truman-Hobbs Act.

(a) In determining the apportionment of costs, the bridge owner must bear such part of the cost attributable to the direct and special benefits which will accrue to the bridge owner as a result of alteration to the bridge, including expected savings in repairs and maintenance, expected increased carrying capacity, costs attributable to the requirements of highway and railroad traffic, and actual capital costs of the used service life. The United States will bear the balance of the costs, including that part attributable to the necessities of navigation.

(b) "Direct and special benefits" ordinarily will include items desired by the owner but which have no counterpart or are of higher quality than similar items in the bridge prior to alteration. Examples include improved signal and fender systems, pro rata share of dismantling costs, and improvements included, but not required, in the interests of navigation.

(c) During the development of the Apportionment of Costs, the bridge owner will be provided with an opportunity to be heard. Proportionate shares of cost to be borne by the United States and the bridge owner are developed in substantially the following form:

Total cost of project \_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Less salvage \_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Less contribution by third party \_\_\_\_\_  
\$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Cost of alteration to be apportioned \_\_\_\_\_  
\$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Share to be borne by the bridge owner:  
Direct and Special Benefits:  
a. Removing old bridge \_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
b. Fixed charges \_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
c. Betterments \_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Expected savings in repair or maintenance costs:  
a. Repair \_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
b. Maintenance \_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Costs attributable to requirements of railroad and/or highway traffic \_\_\_\_\_  
\$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Expenditure for increased carrying capacity \_\_\_\_\_  
\$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Expired service life of old bridge \_\_\_\_\_  
\$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Subtotal \_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Share to be borne by the bridge owner \_\_\_\_\_  
\$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Contingencies \_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Total \_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Share to be borne by the United States \_\_\_\_\_  
\$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Contingencies \_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Total \_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

(d) The Order of Apportionment of Costs will include the guaranty of costs.

### § 116.55 Appeals.

(a) Except for the decision to issue an Order to Alter, if a complainant disagrees with a recommendation regarding obstruction or eligibility made by a District Commander, or the Chief, Office of Bridge Programs, the complainant may appeal that decision to the Deputy Commandant for Operations.

(b) The appeal must be submitted in writing to the Deputy Commandant of Operations, U.S. Coast Guard, (CG–DCO), 2100 2nd St., SW., Stop 7355, Washington, DC 20593–7355, within 60 days after the District Commander's or the Chief, Office of Bridge Programs decision. The Deputy Commandant for Operations will make a decision on the appeal within 90 days after receipt of the appeal. The Deputy Commandant of Operations' decision of this appeal shall constitute final agency action.

(c) Any Order of Apportionment made or issued under section 6 of the Truman-Hobbs Act, 33 U.S.C. 516, may be reviewed by the Court of Appeals for any judicial circuit in which the bridge in question is wholly or partly located, if a petition for review is filed within 90 days after the date of issuance of the order. The review is described in section 10 of the Truman-Hobbs Act, 33 U.S.C. 520. The review proceedings do not operate as a stay of any order issued under the Truman-Hobbs Act, other than an order of apportionment, nor relieve any bridge owner of any liability or penalty under other provisions of that act.

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